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EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

THE following Order of the Secretary of State is published for general information.

(Signed) C. ELIOT,
His Majesty's Commissioner and Consul-General.

Zanzibar, February 11, 1901.

ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

No. 1 of 1901.

Inventions and Designs.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by Article 11 of "The East Africa Order in Council, 1897," I hereby order that "The Inventions and Designs Act, 1888" (Act V of 1888), being an Act of the Governor-General of India in Council, shall apply to the East Africa Protectorate.

In the application of the said Act to the Protectorate, the following modifications shall be made:—

(*a.*) Her Majesty's Commissioner and Consul-General shall be substituted for the Governor-General in Council.

(*b.*) The Protectorate shall be substituted for British India.

(*c.*) The Protectorate Court shall be substituted for a High Court.

(*d.*) The Commissioner shall appoint an officer of the Protectorate Government to discharge the functions of Secretary under the said Act.

(*e.*) Sub-sections (2) and (3) of section 11 of the said Act shall not apply.

(*f.*) With respect to patents which have been obtained in the United Kingdom and which are subsisting at the time when this Order comes into operation, section 24 of the said Act shall apply as if the period of twelve months after this Order comes into operation were substituted for the period of twelve months from the date of the actual sealing of the patent.

(*g.*) In place of the fees mentioned under head (4) in the Fourth Schedule to the said Act, the following fees shall be payable:—

(i.) After the filing of the specification, and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof, 100 rupees.

(ii.) After the expiration of the fourth year, and before the expiration of the eighth year from that date, 200 rupees.

(Signed) LANSDOWNE,
Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Foreign Office,
December 20, 1900.

In accordance with the provisions of section (*d*) of the above Order, I hereby appoint His Majesty's Sub-Commissioner for the Province of Seyyidieh to discharge the functions of Secretary under the said Act.

(Signed) C. ELIOT,
His Majesty's Commissioner and Consul-General.

Zanzibar, February 11, 1901.

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